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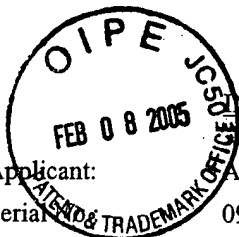
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- ☒ Other: Austin et al., Nature Genetics (2004) 36(9):921-24, 921, Commentary - The Knockout Mouse Project
- ☒ Other: Doetschman, Laboratory Animal Science; April, 1999; 49(2):137-43, Interpretation of Phenotype in Genetically Engineered Mice
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- ☒ Other: Genes VII (Lewin, Oxford University Press (2000))
- ☒ Other: Joyner (Gene Targeting: A Practical Approach, Oxford University Press 2000)
- ☒ Other: Matisse et al. (Production of Targeted Embryonic Stem Cell Clones in Joyner, Gene Targeting: A Practical Approach, Oxford University Press 2000)
- ☒ Other: Crawley (What's Wrong With My Mouse Behavioral Phenotyping of Transgenic and Knockout Mice, Wiley-Liss 2000)
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